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**Commissioner for Patents**

The Examiner's Answer mailed on July 23, 2009 has been returned from the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for being not ready for docketing as an appeal due to the following reasons:

1) The Examiner's Answer mailed on July 23, 2009 is defective because the "Evidence Relied Upon" section fails to include the reference Huberman "Enhancing Privacy and Trust in Electronic Communities."

The Examiner's Answer mailed on July 23, 2009 does actually include Huberman under "Evidence Relied Upon" see the first item listed under Section (8) Evidence Relied Upon (page 3, of the Examiner Answer).

2) The Examiner Answer mailed on July 23, 2009 did list Yeager (US 2005/0086300) as a prior art of record under Section 8. Evidence Relied Upon Heading (see page 3). However, under the heading claim rejection 35 U.S.C. 103 on page 12 Yeager (US 2004/0133640) is listed, a clarification of which reference is the prior art relied upon in the rejection is required.

Yeager (US 2005/0086300) instead of Yeager (US 2004/0133640) was inadvertently listed on page 3 of the Examiner's Answer. Attached herewith please find page 3 of the Examiner Answer which has been corrected to replace Yeager (US 2005/0086300) with Yeager (US 2004/0133640) under section (8) Evidence Relied Upon.

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